

**COMBINED NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY EXAMINER TO THE
BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES & PETITION FOR
EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a) (Large Entity)**

In Re Application Of: **Scott W. Van ARDSDELL, et al.**

Docket No.

13762 US (C38435/109729)

Serial No.
08/914,332

Filing Date
July 14, 1997

Examiner

Group Art Unit

Invention:

OVERCOMING DADA AMINOTRANSFERASE BOTTLENECKS IN BIOTIN VITAMERS BIOSYNTHESIS

TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

This is a combined Notice of Appeal from the Primary Examiner to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences and petition under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of April 22, 2003 in the above-identified application.

Applicant(s) hereby appeal(s) to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision of the Primary Examiner dated April 22, 2003 finally rejecting Claim(s) 1-22.

Applicant(s) hereby request(s) an extension of time of (check desired time period):

One month Two months Three months Four months Five months

from: July 22, 2003 until: August 22, 2003

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TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

This combined Notice of Appeal from the Primary Examiner to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences and petition for extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136(a) is respectfully submitted by the undersigned:



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